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To amend the Minimum Wage Act Revision Act of 1992 to establish minimum compensation requirements for security officers working in the District of Columbia.

BE IT ENACTED BY THE COUNCIL OF THE DISTRICT OF COLUMBIA, That this act may be cited as the “Enhanced Professional Security Amendment Act of 2008”.

Sec. 2. The Minimum Wage Act Revision Act of 1992, effective March 25, 1993 (D.C. Law 9-248; D.C. Official Code § 32-1001 *et seq.*), is amended as follows:

(a) Section 3 (D.C. Official Code § 32-1002) is amended as follows:

Amend
§ 32-1002

(1) A new paragraph (6A) is added to read as follows:

“(6A) The term “office building” means any commercial property where the primary functions are the transaction of administrative, business, civic, or professional services, including properties where handling goods, wares, or merchandise, in limited quantities, is accessory to the primary occupancy or use. The term “office building” does not include libraries, museums, or universities.”

(2) A new paragraph (7A) is added to read as follows:

“(7A) The term “security officer” shall have the same meaning as provided in section 2100 of Title 17 of the District of Columbia Municipal Regulations.”

(b) Section 4 (D.C. Official Code § 32-1003) is amended as follows:

Amend
§ 32-1003

(1) Subsection (a) is amended as follows:

(A) Paragraph (1) is amended by striking the word “As” and inserting the phrase “Except as provided in subsection (h) of this section, as” in its place.

(B) Paragraph (2) is amended by striking the word “As” and inserting the phrase “Except as provided in subsection (h) of this section, as” in its place.

(2) A new subsection (h) is added to read as follows:

“(h) An employer shall pay a security officer working in a office building in the District of Columbia wages, or any combination of wages and benefits, that are not less than the combined amount of the minimum wage and fringe benefit rate for the guard 1 classification established by the United States Secretary of Labor pursuant to the Service Contract Act of

1965, approved October 22, 1965 (79 Stat. 1034; 41 U.S.C. § 351), as amended.”.

Sec. 3. Fiscal impact statement.

The Council adopts the November 27, 2007 fiscal impact statement of the Chief Financial Officer as the fiscal impact statement required by section 602(c)(3) of the District of Columbia Home Rule Act, approved December 24, 1973 (87 Stat. 813; D.C. Official Code § 1-206.02(c)(3)).

Sec. 4. Effective date.

This act shall take effect following approval by the Mayor (or in the event of veto by the Mayor, action by the Council to override the veto), a 30-day period of Congressional review as provided in section 602(c)(1) of the District of Columbia Home Rule Act, approved December 24, 1973 (87 Stat. 813; D.C. Official Code § 1-206.02(c)(1)), and publication in the District of Columbia Register.

Chairman
Council of the District of Columbia

Mayor
District of Columbia